

Virginia's New Legal Presence Law

Effective January 1, 2004

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Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles

Legal Presence Affects Everyone!

- Original driver's licenses
- Photo ID cards
- Suspended, revoked or cancelled driver's licenses
- Expired driver's licenses

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Virginia Department of Transportation
or Vehicles

Requirements for Driver's Licenses

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- Identity
- Legal presence
- Residency
- Social security number



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Information Resources

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Expiration Dates

- Valid for amount of time the individual is legally permitted in the U.S.
- Authorization not definite?
License valid for one year.
- Authorization terminated?
License will not be renewed.
- Indicator to display limited validity



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Implementation

- Policy panel created
- Public input collected
- State and federal agencies notified
- Speaking engagements solicited
- News releases and web information posted



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DMV's Commitment Goals

- Implement fairly
- Issue to qualified applicants
- Involve the public

DMV's Commitment

- Additional staffing
- Employee training
- Public education

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You will need to provide proof of US Citizenship or Legal Presence for these transactions:

- All ID Cards
- First-time Driver's Licenses
- Expired Licenses
- Suspended, Revoked or Cancelled Licenses

Make your transaction a success!
COME PREPARED. Find out ahead of time what documents you will need for your transaction.



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